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STORE

## SPECIALS

SATURDAY.

SEE Ladies' Kid Gloves 35c.  
SEE 75c and \$1.00 Ribbons at 39c.  
SEE 10c 12-1-2c Handkerchiefs, 4 for 25c.  
SEE 25c all-Linen Handkerchiefs, men's 15c.  
SEE 40c Chenille Hoods, all colors 25c.  
SEE \$3 Umbrellas \$2.25.  
SEE \$2 Umbrellas \$1.50.  
SEE \$1.50 Umbrellas \$1.13.  
SEE Men's 15c Merino Hose 10c.  
SEE Men's 25c All-Wool Hose 15c.  
SEE Ladies' Scarlet Vests and Pants 25c.  
SEE Cotton Towels 5c a pair.  
SEE Windsor Ties were 25c, 35c, and 50c, choice 19c.  
SEE RED SEAL Perfumes 8oz bottles 35c each.  
SEE best quality Saxony yarn 3 skeins for 25c.  
SEE best quality Spanish yarn 2 skeins for 25c.  
SEE best quality Germantown 10c skein.

Terms Cash. One Price.

CHRISTIE &amp; CO.

HAVING SECURED

From C. H. Mather, the successor to W. H. Sperry & Co., their Astral Oil Business I am now prepared to fill all orders promptly.

Very choice Eating Apples, also Winter Fruit by the barrel.

Spinach, Lettuce, Radish, Celery, Cauliflower, and Parsnips.

Catawba Grapes, also Malaga, Tokays, and Cornichons.

Very choice Oranges, and Pears.

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Martin's  
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Photographs not excelled in Permanency and Finish. Guaranteed.

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Until November 15. Babies Pictures are most pleasing in this style. Just the thing for your picture in fall costume.

Careful Developing and Printing for Amateur Photographers.

MARTIN'S

EAGLE STREET, next Baptist Church.

## By Telegraph

5.00 O'CLOCK.

## THE SULTAN MUST

Signor Pansa, the Italian Minister, Talked Very Plainly to Him.

ACTION WANTED, NOT TALK.

Encouraging Anglo-American Accord. Imprisonment Makes Madmen. London Without Horses. "Jones" Again.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

LONDON, Nov. 14.—A dispatch from Constantinople says Signor Pansa, Italian ambassador, had an audience yesterday evening with the sultan. Pansa strongly insisted on the execution of the proposed reforms.

The sultan declared they would be executed, but Pansa pointed out that it was not sufficient to say that and it was not enough to publish reforms and emphatically said, "they must be carried out." The Italian ambassador insisted on the punishment by no other means than mere court martial of Col. Mazehen, who is held responsible for the murder of Father Salvator.

Anglo-American Accord.

A copyrighted cable to the New York Evening Post says no better evidence is possible of the strong undercurrent of English feeling in favor of the closest Anglo-American accord than the outburst of genuine satisfaction over the Venezuelan arbitration.

Continuing the cable says "No event in foreign affairs during the present generation evokes such widespread national approval. All parties and all classes are united, almost without a dissenting voice, in paying no heed to the New York talk of English backdown."

Weakening Spanish Sympathy. On another subject the cable says: English sympathy with Spain in her efforts to retain some of her historical colonial power must be weakened by the tale of horrible cruelties in the Philippines.

The Times correspondent in Hong Kong reports that the Spaniards are keeping their prisoners in Manila in deep pits ventilated through iron gratings in the floor.

Barbarous Imprisonment. "The tide sometimes rises and stops the grating." The writer says "the tide rose one Monday night and stopped the grating and the atmosphere became stifling. "One hundred and fifty men and women native prisoners fought them like wild animals and some went mad altogether. The next morning the number had been reduced by half."

Superseding Horses.

The important subject of motor vehicles superseding horse drawn carriages is treated as follows: "London is deeply interested in today's motor car procession to Brighton which is considered as an opening of a new era in locomotion. "Fifteen large factories are already busily occupied in building cars. One is employing a thousand men. By spring thousands of electric cabs, landaus and parcel vans will be used instead of horse vehicles in London streets. The motors may solve the really serious problem of how to accommodate crowds on narrow London streets."

Dublin, Ire.—A dispatch from Jones says: "Jones, the government spy, who created sensation yesterday in Bow street court in his testimony against Ivory, was in this city within a fortnight. "He tried to establish relations of a sensational character with persons supposed to hold extreme political views. He stated that two persons mentioned by yesterday's evidence as Irish-American agitators were in reality on the pay of the British government."

## DYNAMITE EXPLOSION.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

NIAAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Nov. 14.—By the explosion of thirty pounds of dynamite in the office building of E. D. Smith & Co., contractors in charge of the extension of the wheel pit and tunnel of Niagara Falls power company, two men were instantly killed, one was fatally injured and three were cut and bruised by flying rocks and timber.

From what was learned of the accident it is difficult to tell how it happened. It is believed the men had just thawed dynamite in the powder house some distance away and had brought it to the office preparatory to the blast.

## FINANCIAL.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

New York Market.

American Cotton Oil	119 7-8
American Sugar	10
American Tobacco	89 3-8
B. & O.	25
Canada Southern	50
Central of New Jersey	37
Chesapeake & Ohio	19
Hocking Valley	10
Chicago & Northwestern	82 3-8
C. & N. W.	78
St. Paul	72 5-8
Rock Island	20 1-4
Chicago, St. P. M. & O.	32 1-2
C. C. & St. L.	32 1-2
Con. Gas	127 1-2
Del. & Hud.	12 7-8
Ill. & M.	20 1-4
Ind. and C. Feed	12 7-8
Gen. Electric	83 3-4
Ill. Cent.	20 1-4
Lake Shore	20 1-4
L. & N.	20 1-4
Manhattan Elevated	20 1-4
M. & E. T. Com.	20 1-4
M. & T. Com.	20 1-4
N. Y. Central	20 1-4
N. Y. Sus. & W. common	20 1-4
No. Pacific pref.	20 1-4
Pacific Mail	20 1-4
Phil. Reading	20 1-4
St. Louis	20 1-4
Southern Ry. common	11 1-8
Ten. Coal & Iron	31 7-8
Texas Pacific	20 1-4
Union Pacific	11 1-8
U. S. Rubber	11 1-8
U. S. Leather common	11 1-8
Wabash pref.	34 3-8
Western Union	86 1-2
Wheeling & Lake Erie	9 1-8

Wheat—Dec. 7½	May 82½
Nov.—Dec. 7½	May 81½
Oct.—Dec. 7½	May 80½
Sept.—Jan. 7½	May 79½
Aug.—Jan. 7½	May 78½

Cotton.	Opened.	Closed.
Jan.	1.25	1.25

## LOCAL NEWS.

## WHERE IS THE COLLECTOR?

Is What Merchants and Physicians Desire to Know.

D. Lee Martin, 23 years of age, weight about 200 pounds, six feet tall, light complexion, wearing light colored clothes, is a person whose presence in this city is much desired by over a score of physicians and merchants.

Martin came to this city from Vermont in April, worked for R. M. Dowlin as traveling salesman for about two months; later for Hosford & Co., in the kitchen of the "quick lunch," and for a month past he has been employed by the Ford Collecting agency of Fitchburg, having this city for his territory.

He had a room at the home of Orville Lasher, junior of Drury academy. He has not been seen or heard from since Tuesday and those persons who gave him bills to collect are anxious to find him. As near as can be estimated his unreturned collections amount to quite a sum. The agency is considered a reliable one and several of the men for whom Martin did business are confident that the firm will make good their losses.

## THE BUSY BEES SURPRISED.

They Met to Work But Spent the Time in Play.

A pleasant afternoon and evening were passed Thursday by the busy bees at the home of Mrs. George W. Chase. The regular meeting of the society was to have been held as usual, and the little girls went to Mrs. Chase's home carrying their work with them, with the idea of having nothing but an afternoon of work to be accomplished by their ever-busy fingers.

They were pleasantly surprised to learn that an afternoon and evening of pleasure and entertainment was in store for them. At 6 o'clock the children were invited to the dining room, where a tempting supper awaited them. The table was prettily decorated with chrysanthemums. There were twenty-one members present, and the four lady directors who waited on them. After supper they returned to the parlors, and there until about 9.30 o'clock all kinds of games were played, which afforded a merry time for the little members of the society.

## MARK HANNA'S RELATIVES.

Some of Them are Said to be Living in Stamford, Vt.

The rumor came to this office this noon that Mark Hanna, the chairman of the Republican national committee, had near relatives living in Stamford, Vt. It came too late to permit of a careful inquiry but the TRANSCRIPT will investigate the rumor without delay.

If such a rumor is founded on truth it is hoped that whatever relatives of Mr. Hanna there may be in Stamford or vicinity they will make their presence known at once.

## AMUSEMENTS.

## "The Strategists."

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Despite the many other attractions in the city this week, the company still continues to draw excellent houses, and it is probable that tonight, when "The Great Train Robbery," is put on, it will be greeted by a packed house.

## "A Red Stocking."

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## By Telegraph

4.00 O'CLOCK.

## LESS FOREIGNERS.

The Commissioner General's Report Says Immigration is Decreasing.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 14.—The annual report of the commissioner general of immigration issued today shows that during the fiscal year the immigrants aggregated 343,267; 340,465 were landed and 2,799 were debarré and deported at the expense of the steamship lines.

Of the latter class 776 were found to be under contract made prior to arrival. In addition to the number debarré there were 238, who became public charges within a year and hence were returned to the countries whence they came.

The physical characteristics and years of the immigrants were those of a hardy sound laboring class accustomed apparently and well able to secure employment with the exception of a few.

## Character and Wealth.

The commissioner general states he knows no case of an immigrant landed during the past year, who is now a burden upon any institution.

Regarding the occupations it was composed largely of classes of skilled and unskilled laborers. The amount of money brought to this country by immigrants is approximately \$4,917,318, probably much in excess of this.

## Immigration Decreasing.

The commissioner general continues interestingly, "Statistics at hand do not justify the conclusion that our alien population is growing in undue proportions. A comparison of the figures of the last fiscal year, 343,267, with the average annual immigration of the preceding ten years, 435,065, discloses a decrease of 21 per cent."

## Material Increase Doubtful.

"Such data as I am able to obtain regarding the number of those who annually return to their own country, though approximate, leads me to doubt seriously any material increase in our foreign born population since 1893."

The report shows that of the total number of immigrants over fourteen years of age arriving during the year, 5,066 were unable to write, 78,130 could neither read nor write, which is 28 per cent of the whole number.

Of those who could neither read nor write 31,874 came from Italy, 12,810 from Russia proper, 12,154 from Hungary, 4,307 from Bohemia and Moravia, 5,261 from other parts of Austro-Hungary, 2,473 from Holland, 1,598 from Arabia and Syria and 1,580 from Portugal. Of the whole number of arrivals 212,465 were males and 130,801 females.

## LOCAL NEWS.

## ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS

ON PAGE FOUR.

## THE SECOND ANNUAL

Concert and Dance by D'Alessio's Band

Furnished Much Delight.

The second annual concert and dance under the auspices of D'Alessio's band was given in Odd Fellows' hall Friday evening and proved a very successful affair. On account of the numerous other events last evening the attendance during the concert was not very large but those who did attend heard a fine program rendered.

The dancing commenced at 10 o'clock and the pleasure was participated in by about 200 people until past midnight. The band furnished music for dancing.

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## NEW SITE FAVORED.

School Board Considers Another Location for the New Beaver School.

## CHEAPER AND MORE DESIRABLE.

Glen Mill Site is Rejected. Probable Location of the School on East Main Street. Answers Every Purpose.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

The regular meeting of the school board was held Friday evening and the result of the deliberations of the members will probably be learned with surprise by the citizens. A very important matter which is being considered by the board just at present is the selection of the most desirable location for the proposed Beaver street school. The board and several citizens have visited the Beaver on numerous occasions, looking for a site, and it was practically settled in the minds of the members of the board that the old Glen mill site offered by far the most advantages and would be an acceptable location for the new school.

At the meeting last evening a decided change was noticed in the atmosphere, and the school board has dropped the Glen mill site and fixed its attention upon a piece of ground on East Union street. The site now most favored is an elevated piece of ground located on the south side of East Union street, a short distance from where Gallup street meets East Union street. But little grading would be necessary and the price for the land is less than that of the Glen mill property. The board has decided that the recent selection is in every way most desirable, and one that answers the purpose to a very satisfactory degree. The land is owned by Gallup & Houghton. The new school will not be built until spring.

The fittings for the new Braytonville and Johnson schools have been decided upon and lists of the furniture required will be sent to manufacturers for bids. For both schools 624 pupils' desks, 1000 portable seats for the halls, and tables and teachers' desks will be required.

## NOTCH RESERVOIR FILLING.

Already Contains Eight Million Gallons of Water. Commissioners Pleased.

The board of public works and County Commissioners Manning, Anthony and Dalsell visited the Notch reservoir Friday morning. The commissioners spoke very highly of the manner in which the dam has been done and they consider the dam an excellent structure in every way. The water was let into the reservoir Monday afternoon and it was estimated by Mr. Geer, who is in charge for the present, that there are already fully eight million gallons of water there.

The work of removing the stones and numerous piles of earth from the banks is being done and next week will find the reservoir in a finished condition. There is little doubt but what the commissions will accept it.

## CHILDREN FRIGHTENED.

A Clown Appears on the Grounds of Drury Academy.

A member of one of the theatrical troops now in the city stirred up quite a fracas at Drury academy Friday afternoon. The man was dressed as a clown, and went upon the grounds just as school was out. Dr. Gadsby ordered the man from the grounds, but his commands made little impression upon the man. The children in the lower grades were frightened by him, and the only way to allow them to get home was to let them out the back way, which Miss Blanchard did. The clown probably enjoyed the sport but he succeeded in putting the teachers to a good deal of trouble.

## HIS THIRD APPOINTMENT.

Dr. O. J. Brown Medical Examiner for Seven Years More.

Medical Examiner O. J. Brown was recently reappointed by Governor Wolcott and qualified Thursday. The term is seven years, and this is Dr. Brown's third appointment. The first appointment in this part of the country under the law creating the office of medical examiner was that of Dr. H. L. Sabin of Williams-town, who held it until the time of his death fourteen years ago, when Dr. Brown was appointed. Dr. Brown has discharged the responsible duties of the office faithfully and with acceptance to the state authorities, as is well known here, and as is attested by his repeated appointments.

There are three other medical examiners in Berkshire county, Paddock of Pittsfield, Holcomb of Lee and Small of Great Barrington.

## Church Notices.

For Tomorrow.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Regular services morning and evening. Rev. G. M. Boynton, D. D., of Boston, secretary of the Congregational Sunday school Publishing company, will preach at the morning service. Rev. W. L. Tenney will preach in the evening on "The Church of the Catacombs."

ADVENT CHAPEL.

Rev. Enoch Phelps of Westfield, will preach at both services.

Y. M. C. A. SERVICES.

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Fire Alarm for a Flood.

A water pipe burst in the house of Mrs. Von on West Main street this noon. Mrs. Von screamed and her young son, when he heard her and saw water flying, thought the house was on fire and asked a man to ring in an alarm, which was done from box 7. The department turned out promptly, but found the house wet enough without their services and returned to their quarters.

## FROM WARD ONE.

Comes the First Name of a Candidate for the Council.

A large number of Republicans in the first ward have come forward with the name of Harry R. Hamer for councilman. It is stated by some of the more prominent Republicans in that ward that Mr. Hamer's nomination would be very satisfactory to the residents of Braytonville, Greylock and Blackinton.

## BOARD PUBLIC WORKS

Friday's Session Was a Busy One. Considerable Work Done.

## CLOSING UP THE SEASON.

Macadamizing and Concreting Completed for this Year. Resumption Along the Same Line of Work in the Spring.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)

The regular session of the board of public works was held Friday afternoon and according to the statement of one of the board there was a "house full of petitioners and fault finders." In spite of the rush of callers, each of whom occupied considerable time some business of importance was decided upon.

A petition was heard from a resident of Eagle street asking the board to build a stone wall from the south end of the Eagle street bridge westward along the river bank to a point near the dam. Such a wall would do away with the iron railing now in use and also be a protection to property and the highway in times of high water as well as being a preventive to accidents. The work will not be done this year but it is probable that in the spring a wall will be built and the street graded from the present iron railing down to within several feet of the houses on the west side of the street, allowing only room for a sidewalk.

In connection with such work there arises a question of right to do the same as the Windsor print works would have some claim to present regarding the change.

The work of concreting the streets is finished for this year with the completion of the walk in front of the Houghton Memorial library. The work will be resumed in the spring and probably by the same company, as what has been done this year has been very satisfactory. The proposed concreting of Bank street will probably not be done before next spring.

The macadamizing of Monument square is completed and the steam roller will be put away for the winter. The plans for treating Church street in a similar manner will be the first work to be done when spring opens and the work will be continued as far as Elmwood avenue. A triangular plot of ground in front of the monument has not been rolled for the principal reason that there is a prospect of new curbing being put about the monument, if not a curbing laid that will inclose both the monument and the large tree in front. Besides the portion not rolled is but little used and to roll it would involve an expense which is considered hardly warrantable.

## W. C. T. UNION MEETING.

Various Matters of Interest. One New Member Taken In.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance union was held Friday afternoon in the Universalist church parlors, and a good number was in attendance. A report of the second day of the convention held in Westfield was read by Mrs. Martha P. Locke, also the able address delivered at the convention by Mrs. Susan B. Fessenden of Boston. Both were interesting, especially Mrs. Fessenden's address.

The union is still working hard at selling salt and gathering the coupons to get the benefit of the large offer made by the Worcester Salt company. About nine barrels of salt have been sold by the members, and with this gathering of the coupons from the barrels, together with the coupons contributed by others outside of the union, about 1,000 have been collected.

One new member was received into the local union at this meeting.

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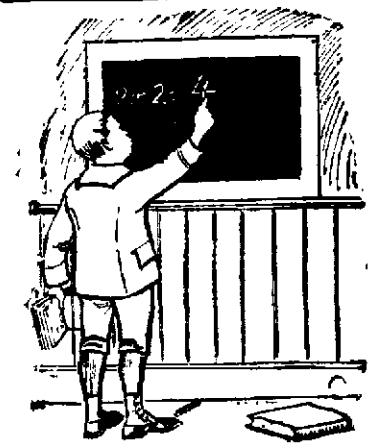
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WILSON BROS. JEWELERS

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Hoosac Valley Agricultural So-  
ciety Annual Meeting.

The Meeting of the Hoosac Valley Agricultural  
Society will be held at the District Court Room in  
the City Hall building, corner of Morris and Bank  
streets, North Adams, Mass., on November 13th,  
1920, at 10 o'clock A. M., to elect the following  
officers for the coming year:

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**SUBURBAN NEWS.**  
Happenings of Interest in  
Our Neighbor Towns.

**AT ADAMS TODAY.**

A Coming Wrestling Match--Some  
Town Figures--Weight of the  
Local Mails--Price Speaking Con-  
test--Local Note Notes.

**TOWN FIGURES.**

The Selectmen Have Not Expended  
Nearly the Amount of  
Appropriations.

Nearly eight months of the town's fiscal  
year have passed and during that time  
there have been some great improvements  
made in and about town. The street  
lighting system has been improved, there  
have been new sidewalks laid in places  
where they were needed, considerable  
sawer constructing has been done, there  
is a new school house and a new police  
station, and above all there is as good a  
bridge system under way, as Adams will  
require for many decades to come. The total  
amount of appropriations is something  
over \$100,000. Exactly \$92,450 of this  
amount is appropriated from the town's  
treasury, replenished by taxes, liquor  
license and other sources of revenue. The  
rest of the amount was borrowed.

The selectmen have expended \$70,161.55  
up to date. In every case is the amount  
expended less than the appropriation,  
except in school house repairs but this  
is only slight and is made up by the  
amount over in other cases. In many in-  
stances no further outlay will be required  
this year.

**A Stubborn Girl.**

Jennie Miller, a bright-looking girl of  
sixteen from Cheshire, was in the district  
court here Friday morning, charged by  
her aunt with being a stubborn child. The  
girl's father was recently taken to the  
asylum at Northampton and her mother  
is dead. She has been living with her  
aunt since her father's departure and the  
woman protested she could do nothing  
with her. The girl sobbed violently and  
acknowledged the charge to be true. She  
was taken to Pittsfield by Sheriff O'Brien  
to await the coming of the state agent  
who will act on her case.

**Prize Speaking.**

The last division of the high school  
prize speaking was held Friday afternoon  
and Miss Jessie Fairfield and Arthur Mar-  
tin were the winners. The final contest  
will occur on Wednesday, November 25,  
and these will be the contestants for the  
teacher's medal: Misses Christine Sayles,  
Katie A. Curran, Jessie Fairfield, Bertha  
Knight, Edith Hall, Florence Snow and  
Daisy Hicks. For the Shaw medal Ralph  
Williams and Arthur Martin will com-  
pete.

**Weight of Local Mail.**

Postmaster Smith has prepared his  
statement of the weight of mail coming in  
and going out of the local post office dur-  
ing the past thirty days. This statement  
gives the amount which the government  
will contract for with the railroads. The  
Boston & Albany road brought in 9816  
pounds and carried out 3068 pounds dur-  
ing the last thirty days.

**A Wrestling Match.**

A. Thomas Cary, who claims the title of  
champion of Western Massachusetts, and  
Herbert Cann of Providence, R. I., have  
been matched to wrestle in Koehler's hall  
on Summer street next Saturday evening,  
for a purse of \$50. The men will weigh  
130 pounds each and as some good men  
have been defeated by both it is reason-  
ably expected that the match will be a  
good one.

**Joyce Discharged.**

James Joyce came into court this morn-  
ing on the charge of stealing James But-  
ter's overcoat from the Central house on  
Pleasant street. The complainant failed  
to press the charge and Joyce was dis-  
charged.

A very enjoyable evening was passed  
by the members of the Royal Whist club  
at W. B. Plunkett's residence Friday even-  
ing.

A dance will be held in Temperance  
hall this evening by the Ladies' Aid so-  
ciety.

These civil cases came up in the district  
court this morning: August Blazo vs. C.  
A. Sherman; Harvey Button vs. Henry  
Peltier.

The regular monthly missionary meet-  
ing will be held at the Baptist church  
Thursday evening.

The iron frame-work of the new Center  
street bridge is nearly all set up and the  
brick arches will be started upon next  
week.

Miss Mary Eastman formerly of this  
town and Jerry Sawyer, who also is a  
native of Adams but is now a member of  
the Arlington, N. J., police force, were  
married recently, it is announced.

W. E. Towne of Walpole, N. H., an ex-  
pert short-hand writer, has come here to  
perfect himself in type-writing in John R.  
Keller's school.

**CHESHIRE.**

Reading Club Meetings.

The Ladies' Reading club met with Miss  
Alice Cowan Friday evening. The readers  
were: Maud Bryant, Mrs. W. Chesbrough,  
Alice Cowan, Mrs. L. J. Fink and  
Lola Lane. Mrs. Fred Wood gave the  
current events of the week.

The Lucky Six club held their meeting  
at Esso Hall's. The reading was from  
Harper's Round Table.

The blacksmith shop is still run by C.  
H. Dawley & Co., Frank Spencer having  
charge of the shop only during the recent  
illness of Mr. Dawley.

Marion Hatch of Pittsfield is visiting at  
Mrs. George Martin's.

Will Fisk has returned from Boston.  
Three new members were taken into  
the Sons of Temperance society Thursday  
evening.

The historic silk flag is in the pos-

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FLANNELS.

**Sunlight Soap**

Mrs. Luther Wood returned to her  
home in Dalton Thursday.  
W. B. Dean has fired up his lime kiln at  
the quarry.

Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, who have been  
at the "Cedars" for several months, re-  
turned to Hartford, Conn., Friday.

**WILLIAMSTOWN.**

The Firemen's Fair.

The Volunteer Fire company will hold a  
fair November 19, 20 and 21. The follow-  
ing articles have been contributed and  
will be on hand:

A. E. Hall, barrel of flour; Waterman &  
Moore, ton of coal; White Bros., pair rub-  
ber boots; F. Noel, 103 cigars; B. H. Sher-  
man, wringer; Severance & Co., box cigars;  
W. O. Adams, ten pounds candy; P. A.  
Chambers, pipe; G. W. Nichols, fountain  
pen; G. W. Hopkins, table; G. S. Asher-  
ton, pair cuff buttons; Peoples' market,  
tub of lard; J. T. Wells, lady's breastpin;  
Neyland & Quinn, pair of shoes; N.  
Hobert, folding desk; Mr. Merwin,  
twenty-five shaves; Fred Mather, ton of  
coal; D. Bastian, twenty-five shaves; E.  
Roberts, grip; P. W. Eaton, \$3; C. H. Cut-  
ting & Co., \$10 suit; Barnard & Co., boy's  
suit; George Grundy, \$5 worth of grain;  
Lindley Bros., cord sawed wood; L. E.  
Noyes, pair of men's shoes; W. H. Sperry,  
lemonade set.

W. C. Plunkett, 1900, is attending the  
Andover-Exeter game today.

Superintendent Sweeney of the fire  
alarm system has been putting it in order  
during the past few days. A football team  
styling itself "The  
Bluebirds" went to Bennington, Vt.,  
today to play the local team.

N. H. Sabra and family will go to New  
York December 15.

The Hubbard family will remain in Wil-  
liamstown this winter.

**BARBARA FREITCHIE**

ANOTHER VERSION OF THE INCIDENT  
MADE FAMOUS BY WHITTIER.

It was a Younger Woman Who Waved  
the Flag at the Confederates--How Bar-  
bara Came to Get the Credit--The Char-  
acter and Home of Barbara Freitchie.

It seems a pity to upset so pretty a  
picture as the one drawn by Whittier of  
the aged Barbara Freitchie waving the  
stars and stripes over the heads of the  
rebel hosts as they marched through  
Frederick, but truth compels the state-  
ment that Barbara only displayed the  
flag after the arrival of the Federal  
troops, while a younger woman dared  
the rebels, without, however, being  
fired upon.

Barbara's maiden name was Hanes,  
and she was born on Dec. 8, 1786,  
in Lancaster, Pa. Her family moved to  
Frederick, Md., when she was a child,  
and in 1806 she married John Casper  
Freitchie. One of her relatives now liv-  
ing in Frederick is authority for the  
following statement:

"Barbara was intensely patriotic,  
and in September, 1862, when the  
Union soldiers drove the rebels out of  
Frederick, Barbara manifested her de-  
light by standing at her window with a  
silk flag in her hand. Owing to her ad-  
vanced age (nearly 66) she attracted a  
great deal of attention, both officers and  
privates breaking ranks to shake her by  
the hand. For three hours she continued  
by the window, until, becoming exhaust-  
ed, she was persuaded to come in and  
rest. Earlier in the day a younger woman  
had waved a small Union flag from  
a house in the same street while the  
rebels were passing. She was not  
fired upon, however.

"In the excitement following on the  
retreat of the rebels the two incidents  
became blended together, and a resident  
of the town, writing to Mrs. E. D. E. N.  
Southworth, treated them as one. Mrs.  
Southworth, feeling that she could not  
do justice to the theme, wrote an ac-  
count of it to the poet Whittier, who,  
stretching poet's license to the limit,  
penned the well known verses entitled  
"Barbara Freitchie."

"Barbara's home was situated on  
West Patrick street, on the east bank of  
Carroll creek. Directly opposite was the  
town spring, whose waters still bubble  
up as refreshingly as they did through all  
the years of our bitter strife. Whenever  
partly held Frederick was sure to be re-  
occupied by its soldiers at that spring.  
There during hot summer days they  
would lounge in the shade of Barbara's  
stoop. If it were the boys in blue, she  
was very gracious and would come down  
and lend them her tumbler or her dip-  
per and give them biscuits, but not so  
the Confederates, whom she would drive  
from her premises or order from her  
porch with a majestic motion of her  
hand, her great age protecting her from  
insolence or harm.

"Barbara died on Dec. 18, 1862, at  
the age of 96 years and 15 days. She  
was buried beside her husband in the  
German Reformed churchyard of Fred-  
erick.

In 1868 a flood did a great deal of  
damage to property in West Patrick  
street, and Barbara's house was con-  
demned and torn down to widen Carroll  
creek. The carpenter who razed the  
house made casks of the balustrade and  
sold them. One was sent to General  
Grant as a souvenir.

"After Barbara's death there was a  
sale of a portion of her furniture, and it  
was my pleasure a few years since to see  
a bedstead owned by her in an uphol-  
sterer's store. Old fashioned, severely  
plain and simple, I should have passed  
it a hundred times without noticing it  
had my attention not been called to it  
by the stockkeeper, who told me he had  
purchased it from a Frederick dealer  
upon a sworn affidavit as to its genu-  
ineness. The bed on which she died is  
now owned and used by a great-grand-  
nephew. Her sideboard is the property  
of another nephew.

"The historic silk flag is in the pos-

session of the living who who who who  
that memorable occasion by Barbara's  
side while the latter held it in her hand;  
also among her priceless treasures this  
same piece values a blue china coffee-  
pot, which was the property of Barbara,  
and from which coffee was served to  
General Washington when he visited  
Frederick in 1781. Upon that occasion  
Washington spent the night at Mrs.  
Kendall's hotel, where the City Hotel  
now stands, and Barbara Freitchie  
brought her Liverpool china to grace  
the table.

"Whittier quoted truthfully when he  
said:  
"The clustered spires of Frederick stand  
Green walled by the hills of Maryland."  
"Significantly enough, the churches  
are all grouped together within a  
stone's throw of each other. Barbara  
was a member of the German Reformed  
church, with Dr. Zacharias as pastor. A few  
years after the war he was interviewed  
by some admirers of Whittier's exqui-  
site lines. "Ah, yes," answered the doctor  
tenderly, "I was Barbara Freitchie's  
pastor for nearly 30 years. I handed her  
the cup and the bread. At our com-  
munion service she always put out, as  
had been her lifelong habit, standing,  
and afterward was sure to shake hands  
cordially with her pastor."--Boston  
Herald.

pansies and one beautiful orchid.--New  
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we can't keep from  
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weaves, some of which are dull or  
dead faced; undressed worsted twills,  
worsted broadcloths, dress vicunas,  
vicuna hopsacks, tibets, dress granites,  
dress crapes, all of which are used for a  
complete suit, although the trousers  
are generally a trifle heavier than coat  
and vest. White silk and mancellus  
vestings are favored to such a degree  
that it has come to be considered  
fashionable to wear the black waistcoat  
with evening dress, except on certain  
occasions when the white vest would  
be obviously out of order, according to  
the New York Herald, which reports the  
foregoing.

Her Trial.

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